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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether according to mid-term review of the Ninth Five Year Plan, the GDP growth target of 6.8 per cent is likely to be missed;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the corrective measures being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AN PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AN PUBLIC GRIEVANCES IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS.

(SHRI ARUN SHOURIE)

(a) : The exercise for the Mid-Term Appraisal of the Ninth Five Year Plan(1997-2002) is currently in progress. The target growth rate in the Ninth Five Year Plan has been fixed at 6.5% per year on average.

(b) & (c) : Does not arise.